

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

GEORGE C. NNONA,

Plaintiff,

v.

DIRECT MERCHANTS CREDIT CARD
BANK, N.A. and METRIS COMPANIES,
INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No.: 04 cv 10400 (REK)

STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME

Plaintiff George C. Nnona ("Plaintiff") and defendants Direct Merchants Credit Card Bank, N.A. ("DMCCB") and Metris Companies Inc. ("Metris"), by and through their attorneys, hereby agree and stipulate that, inasmuch as the parties are currently engaged in active settlement negotiations aimed at resolving this matter, DMCCB and Metris shall have up to and including April 2, 2004 to answer or otherwise plead in response to the Plaintiff's Verified Complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. NNONA

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Re: *Nnona v. Direct Merchants Credit Card Bank, N.A. and Metris Companies, Inc;*
Civil Action No. 04-10400-REK

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case please find a Stipulation to Extend Time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt and filing thereof by stamping the enclosed copy of this letter and returning it to my messenger. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely yours,



Brooks R. Brown

Enclosures

cc: Evans J. Carter, Esq.
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